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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos.

Part B for June 1918

SUBJECT.

revision of The Rules for
election of members to the
Legislative Council. (RA. 570)

1) To the Deputy Commissioners
of Hassan & Tumkur

No J 5060-1 D 11-6-1918

States That The existing arrangements
may continue for some time longer

Abdur Rahman

25-6-1918 Khan

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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File No. 347

FILE HEADING.

Revision of the Rules for the
election of members to the Legislative
Council (R.A. 57—Oct:17).

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SUBJECT NO. 57.

Election to the Legislative Council.

Messrs. (1) H. V. Rangaswami, B. Alasingachar, Hassan taluk; B. Suryanarayana Rao, N. S. Nanjundiah, Hassan Municipality; S. Venkatesaiya, South Mysore Native Planters' Association; A. Narayanaiyengar, Hassan District Agricultural and Industrial Association; Suryanarayana Setty, Arkalgud taluk; D. Nanjagowda, Manjarabad taluk; Maralusiddappa, Arsikere taluk; and (2) Herur Gundappa, Kunigal taluk; H. Venkataramiah, K. Rangaiengar and Y. Rama Rao, Tumkur Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—(1) All elections to the Legislative Council may be made solely from the Representative Assembly, suitable measures being adopted for securing local representation.

(2) Under existing rules, one member is elected to represent two districts in the Legislative Council. The member of one district may not be well acquainted with, and adequately represent the interests of the other district. Each district may therefore be allowed to elect a member of its own to the Legislative Council.

Mr. H. V. Rangaswami.—The present system under which the Representative Assembly elects Members like the District Boards and Municipalities lowers its status. The power of election should be vested entirely in the Representative Assembly.

Mr. H. Krishnasastri.—The power of electing 4 members now vested in the Representative Assembly should continue. There is no objection to increasing the number to be elected from districts.

Mr. H. Venkataramiah.—The districts are not fully represented and one for each district at least is necessary.

Reply of Government.—Will be considered.

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Settle Rules of Br. III) on the subject:

2) This representation was made both in 1915 and in 1916

3) Order was issued stating that Govt. consider it is too soon to think of changing the present rules (vide J. 3175-6-Legis. 25-16-1 dated 28/2/17 and J. 1486-91-Legis 53-15-1 dated 31-10-16).

4) Subv. with references.

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5) It seems undesirable to restrict elections to the Legive Council to the Repve. Assembly as

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suggested in the first part of the representation. Such a restriction will no doubt lead to a closer association of the League Council & the Assembly, but the field of choice will be rather restricted.

b) As regards the second suggestion no separate local interests are dealt with by the League Council & there is no great disadvantage in 2 D's electing one member. It will be inconvenient to give a member to each D as the total strength of the Council would have to be largely increased.

7) The present strength is comparatively large. In the circumstances the question may lie over since die, for a year or two.

1st member }
Deputy

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8) I think so too. No change in the present practice is called for, say vote, for the present

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I agree with the First Member.

We might talk the matter over at a meeting of
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Council/the subject is likely to come up again.

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(For Disposal at a Meeting)

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COUNCIL MATTER.

SUBJECT.

Question of revising the rules for the election of members
to the Legislative Council.

CIRCULATED TO THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.

By Order,

B. Balasubramanyam
Chief Secretary to Government.

4th April 1918.

Extraordinary Member of Council.

K. S. S. S.
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First Member of Council.

W. S. S. 17/4

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17.4.18.
Second Member of Council.

W. S. S.

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Informal.

Subject.

Question of revising the rules for the election of members to the Legislative Council

Opinion of the Council.

~~No action is necessary.~~ The existing arrangements may continue. The question need not be raised ^{again} for a period of 2 years. maybe considered again after a year - another order should come disposing of the subject

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Art III for draft & D.F. & D.S.

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Subv. with a draft G.O., d.f. & d.s.

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For favour of approval
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Fair final note signed by the Council is put up. Don submitted

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Final Note by the First Member of Council.

Subject:—

Revising the rules for the election of members to the Mysore Legislative Council.

Under the present Rules issued in October 1913 and February 1914 four members are elected to the Legislative Council by the Representative Assembly members and four by District groups.

The Representative Assembly members have been asking since October 1915 for ^{the} revision of the rules so that one member may be elected for each district from the Representative Assembly and the reply has been given that it is too soon to think of changing the present practice.

The question was again brought up in the Representative Assembly in October 1917. The matter was considered informally in council and it was decided that the existing arrangements might continue, the question being considered again after a year and that another order should issue disposing of the subject.

The draft order put up accordingly will, if approved, issue.

12th May
1918

W. H. M. S. S.

First Member of Council.

STATEMENT OF CASES SUBMITTED FOR THE ORDERS OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA DURING THE TOUR OUTSIDE THE STATE IN.....M. a. y..... 1918.

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7850 26	Request of the Dasara Representative Assembly Members for a revision of the rules for the election of Members to the Mysore Legislative Council, so that one Member may be elected for each District from the Assembly.	The Council are of opinion that the existing arrangements might continue, the question being considered again after a year.	The recommendation of the Council may be approved. 18.5.18 db	1324 Approved by His Highness Balaramiah Private Secretary 25.5.18 Chitambar 4.6.18 db 4320 76 Recd 5.6.18 17.6. 19/6/18	C weel 7/6 25/6 7/6
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NOTE.—The letter a, b or c may kindly be inserted by the Private Secretary to His Highness in the last column to indicate whether—

File may be submitted at once a
File may be submitted after His Highness' return b
File may not be submitted at all c

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To the Deis of Hassan and
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no 5060-1

11th June 1918

States that the existing
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Govt. in his ho. Camp

Signed by.....

M. S. E. Jayarama

A. dated 11th Oct. 1913 and

2292-Legis 20-13-2 dated

12th Feb. 1914 issuing rules for
the election of members to the Legis. cl.
2. Subject no. 57 of

May this be

i Printed?

ii treated as a standing order?

iii published in the Gazette
English part?

iv translated?

v placed at the disposal of the press?

vi published in the Gazette
Kannada part?

Order Thereon:- No.

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continue for some time longer.

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For Chief Secy to Govt
The S. C. S. of Hassan and Junction to the R.A. members concerned
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